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(54) Title: PRESSURE SENSITIVE ADHESIVE TAPE (57) Abstract A pressure sensitive adhesive tape comprises a tape body coated on one side thereof with an adhesive. The tape body comprises the following components: (a) from 40 % to 85 % wt. of at least one copolymer of olefin with vinyl- or acrylic esters; (b) from 0 % to 20 % wt. of low density (less than 0.9 g cm ⁻³) polyethylene; (c) from 20 % to 55 % wt. of inorganic filler and/or flame retardant consisting of any of the following either alone or in combination: aluminum trihydrate filler, zinc borate, an organic polyphosphate, polyammonium phosphate or magnesium hydroxide; and (d) from 0 % to 5 % wt. of a silane coupling agent.		